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The President and Mrs. Wilson will leave Washington today at 2 o'clock for the first leg of their journey to France. They will be accompanied by the same party that went overseas with them the first trip. They will go first to Philadelphia to visit the President's daughter, Mrs. Francis Bowes Sayre.

The President and Mrs. Wilson went for a short walk together yesterday afternoon.

President Wilson received yesterday Dr. Thomas L. Le Breton, the new Ambassador of Argentina, who arrived in Washington last week. He was accompanied by Federico M. Quintana, counselor of the embassy, who has been charge d'affaires since the departure of the former Ambassador, Dr. Romulo S. Naon.

Mme. Le Breton, who is now in Paris, will join Dr. Le Breton in Washington later. He is staying at the Willard.

The Vice President and Mrs. Marshall will leave Washington today for Phoenix, Ariz., where they will be guests of Mrs. Marshall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Kinney. On their return to Washington they will go to the Wardman Park Inn for the spring and summer months.

The Acting Secretary of State and Mrs. Frank Lyon Folk entertained at dinner last night when the Minister of Peru and Mme. de Tudela were the honor guests.

The retiring Attorney General, T. W. Gregory, will leave Washington today for New York and will sail from that city with the President for France where he will act in an advisory capacity to our Chief Executive. Mrs. Gregory will not accompany her husband abroad, but will remain here in Washington.

The Spanish Ambassador and Mme. Riano will entertain at dinner tonight. Their guests will include the Minister of the Netherlands and Mme. Cremer. The entire party will later go to the Mardel Gras ball at Wardman Park Inn for the benefit of the Free-Milk-for-France fund where they will be entertained in the box of Ambassador and Mme. Riano.

This dinner will be one of a large number which will precede the ball. Senator and Mrs. William M. Calder will give a large dinner at the Willard and later many of the party will attend the Mardel Gras ball. The ball gives promise of being the most brilliant costume ball held in Washington for many years.

Under a spreading apple tree the ball committee, consisting of Mrs. Breckinridge Long, Mrs. Walter Dillingham, Mrs. Arthur Glasgow, Mrs. George Draper, Mrs. Joseph Letter and Mrs. Peter Goeltz, will receive the guests.

Mrs. Louise Delano, chairman of the junior ball committee, and Mr. William Bowie, chairman of the senior ball committee, will lead the grand march. The way the boxes have been sold is evidence that the scheme of decoration for the ballroom has made its appeal to the most exclusive of the Washington inner circles. Here each box owner will "locate his pasture" by the little rural mail box bearing his name on the gate of the native blue grass fence enclosing the grass plot, which is shaded by real apple trees.

Hundreds of volunteers have proven their interest in the cause and their desire to help their little babies in France and have given their time day after day and night after night making apple blossoms for these trees. It has been a veritable labor of love.

The names of Maj. Gen. George Barnett, Capt. Santini, Capt. Dwight Partridge and Mr. William Payne Meredith have been added to the list of those serving on the floor committee.

Mrs. Frierson, wife of William L. Frierson, Assistant Attorney General, will entertain at a luncheon today.

Col. and Mrs. George Downey have gone to Philadelphia to reside indefinitely.

Mrs. Thomas P. Logan entertained

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Spring Cleaning at the White House Is All Finished, But Mrs. Wilson Isn't Least Bit All Tired Out

Housecleaning's over at the White House!

Some job, ladies! But Mrs. Wilson, mistress of the White House, isn't even tired!

All the White House servants—and a lot of extra "ladies-by-the-day" fixed up a plan to surprise Mrs. Wilson—and the President incidentally—when they came home from Europe. So they cleaned the White House from basement to roof, inside and out, and when the mistress walked in all she had to do was to sigh contentedly—"My! How nice everything looks!"

It's been a hard life at the White House these past weeks. The rugs have been beaten, the stone worked, the walls scraped, and the hardwood floors planed and polished. Mrs. Wilson can walk in, sit down and let her fancy lightly turn to thoughts of spring millinery—anything but spring housecleaning. Fortunate woman!

To most women, spring does not mean the twilight of bird and green, verdure, etc., but the annual spring offensive with brooms and mops.

"It was those 30,000 or 40,000 war workers," said Thomas Brabany, of the White House staff, "who came in here to see how President Wilson and Mrs. Wilson really lived that tore things up so. They must of come in here with hob-nails in their shoes for the hardwood floors were so dug into and scarred that we had to have a force in here to plane them level again."

It's a good thing Mrs. Wilson doesn't have to use her own unaided broom and mop in housecleaning the Presidential residence. Here's what she'd have to tackle—among other little jobs.

The East Room is forty feet wide and 82 feet long, with one ceiling twenty-two feet high, from which hang three huge crystal chandeliers. White and gold moldings and panels ornament the walls. The windows—sixteen feet high—have old gold silk and velvet hangings. There is a \$15,000 piano, and a lot of costly marble busts and Sevres vases to dust.

In the State dining room the walls are paneled in dark English oak, and the mahogany dining table will seat 100 guests. There are pieces of china in the White House that date back to the days of cut glass, each engraved with the arms of the United States.

next Sunday afternoon at the Beaux Arts Salon, 1413 H street, for the French Club. Mrs. Post will speak on "A Review of the Great Covenant."

Miss Anne M. Repetti will preside at the tea table and will be assisted by Miss Olga Lindemann, Miss Erma Keith, Miss C. Louise Phillips, Miss Edith Gregory and Miss Ethel V. Hall. The honor society reception given on Sunday was the Hon. Charles Pergler, Commissioner of the Czechoslovak Republic, who gave an interesting talk on the history and aims of the young republic. Mr. Rudolph de Zapp was host. Miss Grayce E. Wall poured tea and was assisted by Miss Anne M. Repetti, Miss Beulah A. Krause, Miss Muriel A. Hall, Miss Margaret C. Wright, Miss Lillian A. R. Krause, Miss Agnes M. O'Neill, Miss Rose B. Downrick, Miss Mabelle Virginia Austin and Miss Blanche Gregory. White and red, the colors of the new republic, were used for decorations and favors and a program of national airs was presented.

Urges Changes in Army Law.

Raleigh, N. C., March 3.—The Senate today gave immediate passage to the resolution by Senator Connor, of North Carolina, for the passage of the measure amending military laws for a review of sentences imposed by military courts for infractions of regulations.

WHO DOESN'T LIKE A LARGE CHECK?

The marriage of Miss Edna Earle Berry, daughter of Mr. Ellis E. Berry, and Mr. George Flouwen Hickey, of Hyattsville, Md., took place yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at St. Paul's Church, the rector, Mr. James F. Mackin, officiating.

The bride wore a smart brown coat suit with a brown tailored hat trimmed with wings, and a corsage bouquet of orchids.

There were no attendants, and Mr. and Mrs. Hickey left immediately after the ceremony for a short wedding trip.

Mrs. Newton D. Baker will be the soloist and Miss Mabel T. Boardman the speaker at the next meeting of the Ohio Society of Washington, which will be held at Rauscher's Monday evening, March 10. After the business session, at which the president, Mr. Justice Day, will preside, the meeting will be in charge of the second vice president, Mrs. William Hamlin Day, and at the reception and social hour following the program Mrs. Day will have her assistants a number of prominent Ohio women.

Some mystery is being observed as to which one of Washington's fair sopranos is to sing the incidental music for the "Arabian Nights" Entertainment," which will be given by the Story-Tellers' League, at the New Willard Hotel next Friday evening, March 7.

Songs from the "Indian Love Lyrics," "The Lover in Damascus," and that charming "Songs of Araby," will form part of the program, before, and during the intermissions necessary for Mr. Stephani Schutze to change his costumes, typical of the stories from "The Thousand Nights and a Night," which he retells.

The costumes in which "The Wizard of Tales" appears are accurate reproductions of old Eastern patterns with their many ornaments of mystic significance.

Mrs. Alva D. Bernhard is staying for some time at the Hotel Chamberlin, Old Point Comfort, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Schaffner, Wm. Earl Schaffner and Miss Chiselaine are also staying at the Hotel Chamberlin, Old Point Comfort, Va.

Mrs. Alice Thacher Post, wife of Mr. Louis F. Post, Assistant Secretary of the Department of Labor, and Capt. Sapley of the Royal Italian army and the Italian Information Bureau in New York, will be the guests of honor at a reception to be given

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MRS. WOODROW WILSON

This is how Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, mistress of the White House, did NOT look during the annual spring housecleaning of the Presidential mansion. The White House is "brand clean," but the First Lady of the Land did not have to put on a cap and apron to accomplish it—which is a pity, considering how nice she looks in 'em!

Confessions of a War Bride

CHAPTER 15.

My Only Hope Seems Dr. Certels. Then Fate Sends Another!

The horror was ended by a convulsion of nerves which administered an anodyne. I slept in spite of my need to know how Bob had received the news. I slept without dreaming, although I thought I must be dreaming in the morning when I heard voices in my room. Miss Dennis was giving me a message, an order, "Watch her mind! And Mandel would be about to kill me if I let her get away. Why, she's the best paying patient he ever had, and she's good for six months, maybe a year!"

Was fate going to be stronger than my will? The thought made me shiver. I upbraided myself: "But maybe it's just, Jane Lorimer. You're always fighting fate. You wanted to be lost and now you're lost. You're calling on the North Carolina Congressmen to work for the passage of the measure amending military laws for a review of sentences imposed by military courts for infractions of regulations."

It was unfortunate, I was forced to acknowledge, that Bob made all of his mistakes in the sunshine, and sorrowed for Etoile, and worried about Bob, and decided "to be reasonable" until Certels arrived, whom should I see on the other side of the hedge but Tommy, the "greaser's" boy!

Tommy, who was now the partner of the Hon. James D. Lorimer, in the fancy grocery business!

He showed above the hedge because he was sitting on a pile of boxes in a truck. Evidently he supplied the hospital with his goods.

I hadn't a better friend in the world than Tommy!

I wandered closer and closer to the hedge as the mountain of boxes dwindled. It was a high, heavy, thorny red body squirming through the branches close to the ground. Then I rushed toward him and whistled to him. It was Tommy's dog "Mike," born in the Lorimer kennels!

Miss Dennis glanced my way, then went on chatting to a very handsome young house physician. "Thanks be to Cupid—and Venus, too!" I said to myself as I romped with "Mike" closer and closer to the hedge.

Just as the delivery truck turned to go, I called out to Tommy: "Mister—don't forget your dog!" With that Tommy came up to the crooked little lane Mike had pushed through. He couldn't see me—as a barrier the hedge was a success.

"Tommy! Keep still!" I said in a low voice. "It's Jane Lorimer!"

"Oh, my God!" he exclaimed. "Mrs. Lorimer—living!"

"Keep still, Tommy. I need your help, Tommy. If I can't get out of this place by the front door, you'll have to get me out the back way. Come back here tomorrow, about this time."

"You can bet I'll be here, Mrs. Lorimer."

"And now go and wire to—"

But I couldn't finish, for that observing house physician was near. I gave the terrible push and Tommy gave him a pull, then I rose from my knees and turned to the handsome doctor, to say with great enthusiasm:

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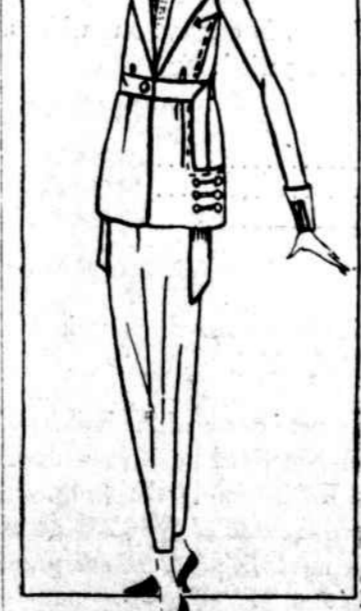
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(To Be Continued.)

BUILT TO FOIL MARCH WINDS



Close-reefed against the boisterous winds of spring in this chic tailor-made trottet frock. No breeze would have a chance against its slender length, which seems to take an extra clinging about the ankles. The sleeves are as long and tight as the skirt, and the lines of the entire suit are rather elaborately tailored with silk stitching and small buttons. Of course there is a belt. Gray tulle is the material, and a gray satin caque hat with steel gray plume spells chic.

Inconsistent! I sent a great scenario I thought would be a hit: I told them I was poor and needed

The manager returned it with a slip on which he'd write: "Your poverty is no disgrace, my son!"

But on that slip were printed words, and after "POOR" a check: Which fills me with a pain that will endure: After telling me that poverty was no disgrace, by heck! He turns my story down 'cause it is POOR! —Film Fun.



But a few short days ago one spoke of the mad March winds but yesterday spring was in the air and fresh green paint on the park benches in Lafayette Square. For the prevalent illness of the season known as "spring fever" a new frock or bonnet is always a sure and active remedy and really after a glance in the shops there seemed no reason for the malady to linger.

Extremely smart was the black here hat with the left side fashioned high and covered with rose petals of shaded tulle. Two perky little black wings kept the other side from an appearance of dejection and convinced me that they were capable of flying right out Howard and Deane's to a high place in anyone's esteem.

Even though a young lady may protest against her blonde coloring she cannot neglect the possibilities offered by some new voile blouses that came in yesterday at Howarth and David's. Around the cuffs and the long rolling collar is pleated white fluting. And the waste themselves are very sheer in material and sold in color of either blue rose or white.

At the Theaters Tonight.

NATIONAL—"The Rainbow Girl."

SHUBERT-GARRICK—"She Walked in Her Sleep."

POLY—"Mary Nash in 'The Big Chance.'"

SHUBERT-BELASCO—"Adam and Eve."

KEITHS—"Vanderville."

GAYETY—"The Best Show in Town."

OSMOS—"Vanderville."

LOEW'S PALACE—"Billie Burke in 'Good Gracious, Anabelle!'"

MOORE'S STRAND—"Sinner Hayakawa in 'A Heart in Pawn.'"

MOORE'S RIALTO—"The White Horse."

LOEW'S COLUMBIA—"Wallace Reid in 'Alibi Mike Moran.'"

MOORE'S GARDEN—"Bessie Barriscale in 'A Trick of Fate.'"

CRANDALL'S METROPOLITAN—"Alice Joyce in 'The Lion and the Mouse.'"

MOORE'S PLAZA—"John Barrymore in 'Are You a Mason.'"

PALACE-Ninth, near the Avenue—"The Man's Theater. Smoke if you like."

Cop Holds Budding Stars Waiting Word from Home

New York, March 3.—The Alexander sisters, of Wilmington, Del., were all ready to star in the movie world when a big cop interfered. The girls—Marian, 12, and Dorothy, 11—were discovered in the Pennsylvania station just as they were about to board a train for California, where they were to become famous film stars. Between them they had \$1,000 and a determination to surprise their dad, who is in France, by appearing before him on a screen as movie heroines.

The good natured cop succeeded in inducing them to accompany him to the Children's Society rooms, where they are awaiting word from their mother.

Woman Loses \$2,500 Bonds.

Chicago, March 3.—Mrs. C. L. Morgan, wife of a broker, who she said, has offices at 10 Wall street, New York, reported to the police today that \$2,500 worth of Liberty Bonds had disappeared from her hotel room here.

A Wise Girl.

There was a girl in our town. And she was wondrous wise. She went to see a picture show And cried out both her eyes: And when she saw her eyes were gone.

With all her might and main She hurried to the picture show— Which shocked them in again! —Walter G. Doty in Film Fun.

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Don't Cry Over Spilt—Anything! Here Are Few Tested Stain Cures

By BIDDY BYE.

Lady Macbeth was the first woman who is officially recorded to have wrestled with a spot—and used strong language over it!

But there are unofficial Lady Macbeths without number—and from then until now, many a spot and stain has caused other ladies to suffer sleep loss and tempted the feminine tongue to near-profanity.

Fortunately, there's a cure for every spot—and here's a neat little list of such first-aid to the commonest varieties of spot and stain.

For stains from acid use ammonia or chloroform.

For chocolate stains—soak in coal oil and wash in cold water.

Coffee stains yield to boiling water if treated when fresh.

Fruit stains should be soaked when fresh in sweet milk or oxalic acid solution.

Grass stains should be rubbed with molasses, then washed with soap and water.

Grease spots should be rubbed with French chalk or Fuller's earth.

For ink use salt, cornmeal, magnesia. Use dry first, then try paste by mixing any one of these with water. If dry absorbents fail try milk or oxalic acid solution.

For mildew stains use lemon and salt or javelle water or soak in sour milk.

Mud stains should be soaked in coal oil.

Paint spots will usually yield to turpentine or benzine.

Permpiration stains yield only to boiling water.

Tea stains are treated with boiling water.

Wine spots should be covered with dry salt when fresh, or with warm milk if dried or old.

Stains from acid fruits such as lemon or grape fruit should be covered with baking soda.

Fruit stains which turn blue or gray after treatment with boiling water can be removed by a 16 per cent solution of acetic acid.

Alcohol, either wood or grain, will remove the most stubborn grass stains.

For the stains left by eggs, milk, meat or blood on wash material try to remove first by soap and water. Then try soaking the spot or garment in two tablespoonfuls of household ammonia to a gallon of water. If some trace of stain still remains sponge with peroxide of hydrogen. If stains are on thick, unwashable material apply a paste of starch and water; let dry and brush out.

Lemon juice and salt remove the average rust stain.

Sponge paint, tar or pitch stains with turpentine or benzine; then wash with hot soapwater.

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